GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
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EXPANSION OF COROMANDAL FERTILIZERS LTD.
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether NPK expansion project of Coromandal Fertilizers Ltd., Vizag, has been completed during 2000;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the cost of the said project;

(c) whether the plant after completion, is utilizing its full capacity; and

(d) if so, the details of production of the plant since its commissioning alongwith the additional capacity generated in the plant thereby?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI S.B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) & (b) : NPK Expansion Project of Coromandal Fertilizers Ltd. had been completed on 30th June, 2000. The cost of this project including inter connecting piping and conveyors is around Rs.40 crore.

(c) : During 2001-02, the plant is expected to achieve a capacity utilisation of 96%.

(d) : The details of production of NPK fertilizers from the plant since its commissioning are as under :-

Year	In MT
2000-01 (from July 2000 to March 2001)	1,67,511
2001-02 (from April 2001 to November 2001)	1,46,996

This expansion project has increased the capacity of production of fertilizers of the company from 1300 MT per day to 2000 MT per day.